

**BILL SUMMARY**  
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<b>Bill No.:</b>	<b>HB 3277</b>
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<b>Impact:</b>	<b>Please see previous summary of this measure</b>

**Research Analysis**

The proposed subcommittee substitute for HB 3277 requires public school boards to adopt digital safety measures to address the following:

- Real-time filtering and monitoring of appropriate internet content;
- Detection and prevention of cyberbullying;
- Prevention of self-harm and suicide; and
- Identification of potential threats.

Schools will communicate how data is collected and utilized and annually report to the Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services on the effectiveness of the digital safety solutions. The department will issue a request for a proposal to select a vendor to develop and implement the digital platform schools will use. Schools must also provide parents with the option to monitor their students' online activity while using school-issued devices at home.

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**Fiscal Analysis**

The measure is currently under review and impact information will be completed.

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**Other Considerations**

None.